

LOBBYING
REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required to Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name ☒ Organization/Lobbying Firm ☐ Self Employed Individual
Deere & Company

2. Address
Address1 ONE JOHN DEERE PLAZA Address2
City MOLINE State IL Zip Code 61265 Country USA

3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)
City State Zip Code Country

4a. Contact Name
Mr. John Rauber

b. Telephone Number
2024232273

c. E-mail
RauberJohnW@JohnDeere.com

5. Senate ID#
11878-12

7. Client Name ☒ Self ☐ Check if client is a state or local government or instrumentality
Deere & Company

6. House ID#
305410000

TYPE OF
REPORT

8. Q1 (1/1 - 3/31) Q2 (4/1 - 6/30) Q3 (7/1 - 9/30) Q4 (10/1 - 12/31)
Year 2019 ☒ ☐ ☐ ☐

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report ☐

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ☐ Termination Date

11. No Lobbying Issue Activity ☐

INCOME OR EXPENSES - YOU MUST complete either Line 12 or Line 13

12. Lobbying

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$5,000 ☐

\$5,000 or more ☐ \$

Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$10,000, of all lobbying related income for the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).

13. Organizations

EXPENSE relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:

Less than \$5,000 ☐

\$5,000 or more ☒ \$ 270,000.00

14. REPORTING Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

☐ Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

☐ Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature	<div>Digitally Signed By: John Rauber, Jr.</div>	Date	4/11/2019
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			<u>AM</u>

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Add additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code COM

16. Specific lobbying issues

Rural Broadband Infrastructure
Data Privacy
FCC Mobility Fund Phase II Proceeding
Internet of Things
Precision AG Connectivity Act Implementation

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies ☐ Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Agriculture - Dept of (USDA), Federal Communications Commission (FCC)

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
John	Rauber	Jr.		<input type="checkbox"/>

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above ☒ Check if None

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15. General issue area code AGR

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 2 - The Agriculture & Nutrition Act - Implementation

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies ☐ Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Agriculture - Dept of (USDA)

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15. General issue area code TRD

16. Specific lobbying issues

Defending Elections from Threats by Establishing Redlines Act of 2018

U.S. - Mexico - Canada Agreement

Sec. 232 Investigation on autos/auto parts

Sec. 301 Trade Enforcement with China

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies ☐ Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U.S. Trade Representative (USTR)

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
John	Rauber	Jr.		<input type="checkbox"/>
Miles	Chiotti			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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15. General issue area code ENG

16. Specific lobbying issues

Biofuels, Renewable Fuels Standard
EPA 2019 Renewable Volume Obligations Proposal
EPA Proposed Rule to Waive RVP for E15

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies ☐ Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

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John	Rauber	Jr.		<input type="checkbox"/>
Miles	Chiotti			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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15. General issue area code TAX

16. Specific lobbying issues

Corporate Tax Reform

H.R. 1 - The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act - Implementation

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies ☐ Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Treasury - Dept of

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15. General issue area code FIN

16. Specific lobbying issues

Financial Choice Act

H.J. Res 111, S. Res. 47 - Arbitration Agreements

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies ☐ Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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15. General issue area code TRA

16. Specific lobbying issues

Infrastructure Investment Fast Act Reauthorization

Highway Trust Fund

Buy America Requirements

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies ☐ Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

Address

CityStateZip CodeCountry

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

CityStateZip CodeCountry

22. New General description of client’s business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	First Name	Last Name	Suffix
1			3		
2			4		

ISSUE UPDATE

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Internet Address:

Name	Address				Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)
	Street Address	City	State/Province	Zip	
					City State Country

1 **2** **3**

27. Add the following foreign entities:

Name	Address		Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership percentage in client
	Street Address				
	City	State/Province/Country			
			City State Country		%

1
3
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29. Have any of the lobbyists listed on this report been convicted in a Federal or State Court of an offense involving bribery, extortion, embezzlement, an illegal kickback, tax evasion, fraud, a conflict of interest, making a false statement, perjury, or money laundering?

☒ No ☐ Yes

Lobbyist Name	Description of Offense(s)
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